

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	James T. BODNER et al.	§	Confirmation No.:	9916
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Serial No.:	09/964,307	§	Group Art Unit:	2142
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Filed:	09/26/2001	§	Examiner:	Benjamin A. Ailes
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For:	Reduction Of Configuration	§	Docket No.:	200302220-1
	Time Upon Deployment Of	§		
	A Configurable Device In A	§		
	Shared Resource	§		
	Environment	§		

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 11, 2007**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: April 10, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 11, 2007, please consider the following remarks for the above-identified application:

**The Pending Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims that begins on page 2 of this paper. In this Response, no amendments have been made to the claims.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.